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A. L. WAIT,
Gen'l Ag't for Pacific States, San Francisco.
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Notice is Hereby Given

THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE be made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to Incorporate "The Western Canadian Pacific Railway Company," for the purpose of constructing and working a Railway commencing at a point at or near Victoria, British Columbia, thence to some point on the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island, and from thence, by bridge or steam communication, to some point or points on the Western Coast of the Mainland of British Columbia between the 49th and 54th parallels of North latitude, thence through the Mainland of British Columbia to some practicable pass in the Rocky Mountains to the North West Territories, and to some point in the said North West Territories where a junction will be effected with a line of railway starting from the Railway System in the North Eastern part of Ontario and running towards the Rocky Mountains, with power to make such deviations and branch lines to connect with the Seaboard of Vancouver Island or elsewhere as may be advisable; and for the purposes aforesaid to establish, equip and maintain such Ferries and Steam Vessels as may be necessary.

DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitors.
Victoria, BC, Jan 24th, 1872. ja25

CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, for an Act to Incorporate the Canada Pacific Railway Company, for the purpose of constructing and working a railway from Lake Nipissing, or some other point in the Province of Ontario, connecting with the railway system of Canada, to Fort Garry or Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, thence westerly through such pass of the Rocky Mountains in Canadian territory as may be found practicable to Bute Inlet or some other point on the seaboard of the Pacific Ocean, in the Province of British Columbia, [with power to extend to Victoria, or some other point on Vancouver Island, if found advisable;] together with branch lines from near Winnipeg river to the lake of the Woods, and from Fort Garry or Winnipeg aforesaid to Pembina, or such other point or place on the boundary of the Province of Manitoba as may connect with the railway system of the United States.

ALFRED WADDINGTON.
Ottawa, Dec 2 1871. dec2 1&w

LAST CHANCE!!

NO MORE

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VIEWS

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Hurry up and leave your Orders at the

FORT St. GALLERY

AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE!!
mh17

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MANUFACTURERS OF
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mh24 1m AGENT.

The French Laundry,

CHATHAM ST, bet. Douglas and Government.

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FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED INTENDING TO retire from business offers for sale

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ARE WELL AND SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT AND VEN BY A

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For particulars apply on the premises.

JEROME HARPER.
Clinton, January, 15th, 1872. fe3 3md&w.

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SITUATED IN COWICHAN VALley, four miles from the steamboat landing, containing 400 (four hundred) acres of good bottom land, with buildings thereon. One hundred and fifty acres are free from forest trees, and of this about fifty acres are fenced and under cultivation, the remainder being covered with wild grasses. There is a good and extensive stock range outside the farm. The stock can be had by the purchaser at market value, if required.

Apply at the COLONIST OFFICE. mh19

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LOT 291 ON THE NORTH SIDE OF Fort street, between Blanchard and Quadra, adjoining Mr. Heywood's. There are two good Dwelling Houses on the lot, also a Well of Good Water, and all the necessary outhouses.

ALSO

HALF OF LOT 266 ON VIEW STREET in rear of Lot 291 with a 6-roomed Cottage thereon.

Apply to
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mh29

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FOR SIX MONTHS FROM OR ABOUT the 8th day of April, 1872, a comfortable Dwelling House completely furnished.

For particulars apply to Mrs Harris, Broad Street, Victoria, any day from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. mh16

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THE HOWE SOUND WHALING CO'S Station on the Gulf of Georgia, together with the Buildings, Wharves, Boats and Whaling Gear complete. Also a large quantity of Nor 1 Casks and Staves.

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Ginger,
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All of which are Warranted Pure and Unadulterated nicely put up in Bottles and ½ lb. Tins.

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GORDON STREET, VICTORIA,

opp St Andrew's (Presbyterian) Church.

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Notices.

$250 REWARD!

WHEREAS THE STORE OF MESSRS Burns & Edwards, Victoria, was burglariously entered by some person or persons on the night of the 7th or morning of the 8th instant, and sundry articles of clothing were stolen therefrom. A reward of $250 will be given for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the thief or thieves.

A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
Victoria, B C, 9th Feb., 1872. fe10

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO ALL whom it may concern, that copies of the Road Tax Assessment Rolls, for the year 1872, are left at the following places in the several districts:—

North Saanich District, at H Wain's
South Saanich District, at L Eckstein's
Lake District, at the Royal Oak Hotel
Sooke District, at M Muir's
Metchosin District, at the Schoolhouse, Metchosin
Esquimalt District, at the four-mile-house
Esquimalt Town, at J T Howard's
Victoria West, at P Everett's "Horse and Jockey"
Victoria District, Cedar Hill Road, Oakland Estate, and Spring Ridge at the Lion Brewery Tap
Point Ellis, at the Rock Bay House
Saanich Road, Topaze Avenue, and Section III., Finlayson Estate, at P Walsh's Bridge Tavern
Fort-street and Cadboro Bay Road, at the house of Thos Woods, Fort street
Mount Tolmie Cross Road, at the Richmond Hotel
Fairfield Estate and Foul Bay Road, at Clover Point Hotel
James' Bay and Beckley Farm, at F Larkin's James' Bay
Burnside Road, at M Rowland's
And also at the office of the undersigned.

W CAIFKEN,
Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Victoria, 18th Feb, 1872. fe18

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
14th March, 1872

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR DIrects the publication of the following notice which has been forwarded to him from the Hydrographic Office, in London, for general information.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.

The information contained in this notice is to be carefully considered, to be noted in the sailing directions, and compared with the chart when the ship is navigating the parts to which it refers.

HYDROGRAPHIC NOTICE
[No. 26.]

NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN—GULF OF FONSECA.

The following account of a sunken rock lying nearly in the fairway of the channel leading to Amapala, on Tigre Island, in the Gulf of Fonseca, has been received from Commander Herbert P. Knevitt, R. N., H. M. S. Fawn, 1871.*

(All bearings are magnetic. Variation 7° 25' westerly in 1871.)

A pinnacle rock, at present well marked by the wreck of a steam-vessel, lies 1.0 yards to the westward of Knob Island with a depth of 6 fathoms, 20 yards to the westward of the wreck, and 4½ fathoms between it and the land.

From the wreck, the north and south extremes of Knob Island bear N. E. ¼ E. and S. E. respectively, and the southwestern point of Tigre Island S. S. E. ¼ E.

The funnel of the steamer shows well above water at all times of the tide, and may stand for a long time, but on the removal of this mark the rock will become a formidable danger, as a bank has formed round the wreck, and appears to extend towards Knob Island.

The tide at quarter flood sets past the rock at the rate of 2 to 3 miles an hour.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty,
London, 13th Nov, 1871.

*See Admiralty Charts—Gulf of Fonseca, No. 1960.
mh24

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE High Court of Chancery, made in the matter to the Estate of William Montague Cochrane, formerly an Ensign, and late a Lieutenant of Her Majesty's 29th Regiment of Foot, deceased, and in a cause "Boyse against Ward," the Creditors and all persons having any claims or demands upon, or affecting the Estate of the said William Montague Cochrane, who some years since resided, or carried on business as one of the Firm of Godsall, Cochrane and Goodwin, at or near the Town of Nottingham, and subsequently went to America, and died at sea, on board the steamship "City of Boston," in or about the month of January, 1870, are on or before the 22nd day of March, 1872, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Ward, Mills and Witham, of No. 1, Gray's Inn Square, in the County of Middlesex, the Solicitors of the Defendant, the Executor of the Deceased, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their debts, claims or demands, a statement of their Accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every Creditor or other person holding any security, is to produce the same before the Vice Chancellor, Sir John Wickens, at his Chambers situate at 12, Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, in the County of Middlesex, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1872, at One o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the debts, claims, or demands.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1871.

ALFRED HALL,
Chief Clerk.
E. W. & R. C. MOTE,
14, Warwick Court, Gray's Inn, London
mh6 d3w Plaintiff's Solicitors.

Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To GERARD PROBIS, of Sections LVIII and LXVIII Lake District,

To HENRY SAUNDERS, Sections XXXVIII and LV Esquimalt District,

Unless objection be made to me in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.
Saturday, 23d March, 1872. mh24

NOTICE.

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a list of all persons within the Districts of Cowichan and Salt Spring Island, who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year, 1872, has been posted at the following places:—

Court House, Cowichan,
Harris' Landing,
Maple Bay Landing,
Mr. Drinkwater's, Somenos,
Mr. Fry's, Chemainus,

SALT SPRING ISLAND.
School House, Central Settlement,
Mr. Mitchell's, Burgoyne Bay

Copies of which are deposited in the office of Mr. Morley, near Maple Bay, and can be inspected at all reasonable hours.

JNO MORLEY,
Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Maple Bay, Feb 21st, 1872. fe25d&w

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.

ea30 Ld. LOWENBERG.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.
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CANADIAN TARIFF

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF MILK.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE CANADIAN Tariff being adopted from and after the 1st April I shall reduce the Price of Milk to 40 cents per gallon retail and 30 cents per gallon wholesale.

Customers taking one gallon per day considered wholesale.

HENRY SMITH,
Proprietor Fairfield Farm Dairy.

N.B.—Orders left at Stafford & Hicken's promptly attended to. mh23

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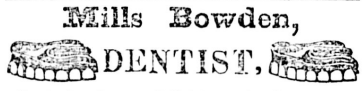
The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Wilson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.

Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w 1s

Mills Bowden,



DENTIST,

May be found over H F Heisterman's, Langley street from 9.30 a m to 4 p m. Back entrance on Government street. de7

IN WISHING THE PEOPLE OF VICtoria

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Finest Family Groceries,

—COMPRISING—

Choicest Malaga Raisins,

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SULTANA RAISINS, ZANTE CURRANTS
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The Finest description of Preserved Fruits,

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THE RIGHT HON THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

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D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

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Thursday Morning, April 4, 1872

Qualification of Voters' Act.

It would have been strange indeed if 'The Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act 1871' had survived without amendment the first session of a free Parliament. Anticipating the popular wants, as they have been singularly fortunate in doingin most matters, the Ministry have undertaken to cure some of the defects and remove some of the of the blemishes of that Act. The Amendment Act as it came from the Ministerial Lands, provided (1st) for the appointment of two or more Registras for any electoral District and for the creation of Polling Divisions within the same; substitutes the 20th July for the 25th July for the publication by the Collectors of the Voter's List; substitutes 'between the 1st day of August and the last day of August inclusive' for 'between the 10th day of August and the last day of September inclusive' as the time for holding the Courts of Revision, and reduces the time of notice of holding such Courts from ten days to five days; substitutes the 14th September for the last day of October as the date limiting the holding of Courts of Revision; substitutes the 31st August for the 14th September as the day fixed for delivery of Revised Lists to Returning Officer; substitutes the 31st August for 14th September as the date after which any election may take place.—It will be seen that these changes conspire to enable elections to be held at an earlier date than formerly, and otherwise facilitate the process in larger Districts. It must be confessed, however, the gain in time is not very great. In respect of section 3 of the old Act, fixing the qualification of voters, the following changes are made:—The value of freehold estate is reduced from two hundred and fifty to one hundred and fifty dollars; the annual value of leasehold estate from forty to twenty dollars; the annual value of household from forty to twenty; the annual payment for lodgings from forty to twenty dollars; and for board and lodging from two hundred to one hundred dollars. It will thus be seen that, with the exception of freehold, the standard has been reduced just one-half. The only other changes made in this section are the introduction of the words 'any bona fide resident in the Electoral Districts of Cariboo or of Kootenay' qualifying the holding of a Free Miner's License, and the exemption of the Free Miner from the condition of possession of qualification for three months prior to making application to be placed on the Voter's List. These changes are all, as it appears to us, in the right direction; but they do not go quite far enough.

Election Regulation Act.

More than once since the general election in this Province we have taken occasion to point out the great hardship of restricting electors in some of the larger Districts in the interior to voting at the particular polling place at which they had registered and no other. In some instances an Electoral District extends over an area larger than the United Kingdom; and it often happened that an elector, although several days' journey from his polling place on the day of election, was quite convenient to another polling place within the Electoral District to which he belonged; yet he could not be allowed to vote. It often happened also that the boundary line placed a settler very much farther from the polling place within the division in which his property was included than from the polling place in an adjacent division, thus necessitating a long journey where a short one would have answered all the purposes under a more elastic provision. The regulation restricting an elector to his own polling place appears, *prima facie*, fair and proper. But it is when its application to the class of Electoral Districts adverted to—such for instance, as the Cariboo District and the Kootenay District—comes to be considered that the hardship of the case is understoood. With a view to overcoming this inconvenience and affording greater facility to electors in remote and widespreading Districts, the Government have introduced a short Bill entitled "The Election Regulation Act, [1871], Amendment Act, 1872," and which has already passed through it various stages. This Bill enables an elector to vote at any polling place within his Electoral District. In this the Government have, with becoming promptitude, shown a proper desire to meet the circumstances and just wants of the more remote Districts.

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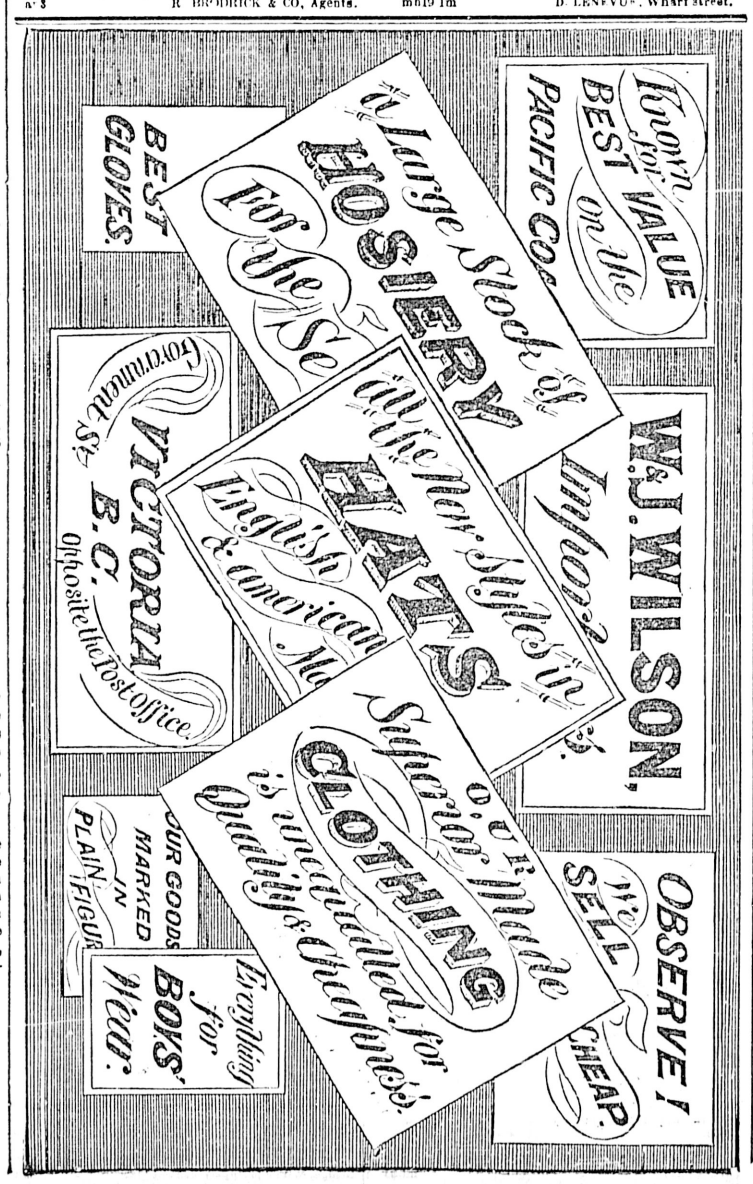

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NOTICE.
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THOS. SHOTBOLT.
Dated March 25th, 1872. ap2

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, April 4, 1872.

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First Provincial Legislative Assembly.

FIRST SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, April 3, 1872.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Beaven said that he was reported in the COLONIST as voting with the ayes on the Lien Bill, whereas he voted with the nays.

Mr. Robson said he was reported in the *Standard* as not having voted at all on the Lien Bill, whereas he had voted with the nays—(laughter).

MESSAGE.

The clerk read a message from His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor calling attention to the fact that the third section of the Consolidated Revenue Bill as passed by the House did not conform to the 54th section of the British North America Act, and recommending that the section be amended to conform with the British North America Act, or stricken out altogether.

Hon. Mr. Robertson moved that the House go into committee on the Message.

Dr. Ash opposed the motion for a committee without notice.

Mr. Humphreys warned the House against having marches stolen upon it. The rules of the House required that there shall be two days' notice before going into committee on any question.

Hon. Mr. Robertson replied that a message from the Lieutenant-Governor was treated precisely as a message from the Queen, which was generally acted upon at once.

Mr. Robson said it was competent for the House to go into committee at once upon the Message, or it might postpone action. He was in favor of immediate consideration.

The House decided to go into committee forthwith, Mr. Hughes in the chair.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUES FUND BILL.

Hon. Mr. McCreight explained the irregularity in the third section, and in order to make it constitutional he moved an amendment to the effect "that no money-vote shall originate with the House."

A discussion arose as to the legality of going into committee on the message without due notice.

Dr. Ash moved to rise and report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Bunster rose to a point of order.

He was ruled out of order.

Mr. Bunster would not be put down in this way.

The chairman said there was no wish to put down the honorable member; but he thought the honorable member was out of order.

Mr. Bunster said a lady (Miss Mills) had appeared at the bar of the House several times with a petition. He believed it to be a just and proper petition, and asked why it had not been read?

Mr. Robson called for order.

Mr. Bunster was not addressing the honorable member for Nanaimo, and would not come to order at his call.

Mr. Robson replied that the honorable member for Victoria district should not insult an honorable member.

Mr. Bunster said he had no such intention.

Mr. Humphreys rose to speak.

The chairman called Mr. Humphreys to order, and put the question to rise, which was lost—18 to 4.

Mr. Bunster again rose to order, and moved that the petition be received by this House.

The chairman—This is a committee, not the House, and the petition can't be received by the committee.

Mr. Booth deprecated the opposition offered in this committee.

Mr. Robson said the message was introduced in a flurry, and when the House was in a hum. Some members were suspicious that something wrong was about to be done.

Hon. *Mr.* Robertson replied that the message could not be explained better than it had explained itself, and there was no attempt to rush it through.

Mr. Robson said he did not charge that there was any such attempt. He merely said that there was a hum and a buzz at the time, and that some honorable members did not understand the question when it was carried into committee.

Dr. Ash complained that he could not understand the bill unless it were printed, and he would not vote for the amendment.

Mr. R. Smith referred the honorable member for Comox to the 54th section of the British North America Act, where the section proposed to be introduced appeared in print.

Mr. Humphreys agreed with the honorable member for Nanaimo—that the state of the House did not permit honorable members to understand the question. He intended, however, to support the amendment.

The amendment was carried, and the committee rose and reported the bill complete.

It was read a third time and passed.

MESSAGES.

Hon. Mr. Robertson laid before House a message from His Excellency the Governor enclosing a copy of the Road Ordinance Amendment Bill, and suggesting that section 3 be amended so as not to affect the sittings of the Courts of Appeal. The message was ordered to come before the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

MISS MILLS' PETITION.

Mr. Bunster moved that the petition of Miss Mills be now read.

The Speaker—Will you endorse it by writing your name upon the back?

Mr. Bunster—I have not got it.

The Clerk handed the petition to Mr. Bunster for endorsement.

Mr. Bunster—I asked to have it read.

TAX SALE REPEAL BILL.

Hon. Mr. Robertson, from the Select Committee to which was referred this bill, recommended its passage with certain amendments.

On motion of Mr. Robson the bill was ordered to be committed tomorrow.

CROWN LANDS ACT.

Mr. C. Booth asked leave to bring in a bill to amend this Act. Granted.

PUBLIC PARK.

Dr. Ash moved that this House is of opinion that all Crown Lands situate to the south of the City of Victoria, between Beacon Hill and the mouth of Victoria harbor, should be reserved and set apart as a portion of the adjacent Public Park. The hon. mover said that the Hon. Chief Commissioner had said that the Government would offer these lands for sale.

Hon. Mr. Walkem interrupted and said that he had stated that the Government had not decided what they would do with these lands.

Dr. Ash proceeded to point out the necessity for additions to the Public Park.

The Speaker here called attention to the fact that there was no Messenger.

Hon. Mr. Robertson said that Mr. Franklin had resigned because he was not provided for in the Estimates as Assistant Printer. The vacancy would be filled immediately.

Mr. Robson supported the motion and deprecated the establishment of a cemetery on the spot. The wind nearly always blew from that direction across the city, and we did not wish to bury our dead under our noses. To do so would prove a very *grave* matter indeed. The land ought to be devoted to the purposes of a Public Park.

Hon. *Mr.* McCreight defended the policy of the Government in establishing a cemetery on this land. There was nothing unhealthful in residing alongside of one and the drainage in this case was good. However, if the location was found to be unsuitable, another piece would be taken under the Public Works Bill, which would come up for second reading to-day, the land now in question sold and the money derived from its sale used in paying for land acquired elsewhere.

Hon. *Mr.* Robertson moved that all the words in the amendment after "it" be struck out and the words 'for the purposes of a public Cemetery' be inserted.

Hon. Mr. Walkem, altho' opposed at first to the planting of a cemetery at the mouth of the harbor, remembered that the finest cemeteries on the Continent were at the entrance to harbors. There were no Crown Lands in the vicinity, and besides, the Park was disconnected from these lands by private properties.

Mr. Beaven supported the view of the hon. Atty. General to set apart the proceeds derived from the sale of a portion of these lands in the purchase of land for a cemetery.

Dr. Ash in reply, observed that the grounds should be used as a place of public recreation and not as a cemetery.

Mr. Bunster moved that the matter be taken into consideration tomorrow.

Mr. Robson thought that the debate should be adjourned. If the public of Victoria knew that there was a proposition to turn this land into a cemetery there would be a very general feeling of indignation.

Hon. Mr. McCreight said there was no intention to turn the land into a cemetery unless it was in every respect. It would be vested in trustees who could sell it and use the proceeds in purchasing lands suitable elsewhere for the purposes of a cemetery.

Hon Mr Robertson also explained that the lands would not be made into a cemetery unless it was in every respect suitable. The present cemetary would be closed on the 27th May, and if this amendment were not adopted the town would have no cemetery. He deemed the place suitable for a cemetery; but if the amendment were not accepted the land might be sold and the proceeds applied to the general revenue.

Dr Ash said the Indian Reserve was the best spot for a cemetary.

Hon Mr Walkem—It belongs to the Dominion Government.

Dr Ash said the Dominion Government would give the Reserve to the city if it were asked. He hoped the discussion would be postponed till to-morrow.

Mr Bunster's motion to postpone the bill till to-morrow was carried.—10 to 12.

GRAVING DOCK.

Hon Mr Walkem laid the tenders for the construction of a graving dock before the House, and they were ordered to be considered to-morrow.

HAWKERS AND PEDLARS.

Mr Bunster asked leave to introduce a Hawkers and Pedlars Bill.

Hon Mr McCreight said the resolution should be fixed in Committee of the Whole, which Mr Bunster moved and the motion was carried.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr Jamieson—To move that a Committee be appointed to inquire into and report upon the conduct of the two members for Lillooet with regard to the information given by them of the wants of the Districts; Committee to consist of Hons McCreight and Walkem, and Messrs Semlin, Robson, Ash and J. P. Booth.

Dr Ash—To read papers in connection with Omineca-Skeena roads and trails.

Dr Ash—That this House is of opinion that it is the duty of the Executive *Council* to advise the *Governor* to make appointments from fit and proper persons in the Province.

LUNACY BILL.

The report on this Bill was read a third time and passed.

COUNTY COURTS BILL.

The report on this Bill was adopted and the Bill read a third time and passed.

PUBLIC WORKS BILL.

Hon Mr McCreight moved the second reading of the Public Works Bill.

Hon Mr Robertson seconded. Carried.

The House went into Committee, Mr. C. Hughes in the Chair.

Mr C Booth wished to strike out that part of the oath taken by the arbitrators which refers 'to the benefit derived and to be derived.' He thought that in some cases the arbitrators might calculate the benefits to be derived to such a degree as to bring in the owner of the land a debtor to the Government instead of a creditor.

The amendment was lost, 8 to 7, and the clause passed as read.

In clause 11 the "ten" was changed to "thirty" as the number of days prescribed as the time in which owner must allow for his claim to be examined before referring it to arbitration.

In clause 16, instead of the arbitrators' expenses being fixed at $2 per day, the scale of fees adopted by the Supreme Court was fixed.

The Committee rose at clause 17 and asked leave to sit again at 7:30 p. m. Leave granted.

EVENING SESSION.

The House went into Committee on the Public Works Bill.

Mr C Booth moved that clause 17 be struck out. Carried.

The Committee then rose and reported the Bill complete with amendments.

The report was received and ordered to be considered on Friday.

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY.

The House went into Committee on the Supplementary Estimates, Mr Smithe in the Chair.

Hon Mr Robertson stated that if these Estimates were passed it would leave some $1980 77 in the Treasury.

Extra allowance to members from remote districts, $750.

Mr. Duck asked how it was intended to spend the amount.

Mr. Robertson—It was to give all the members above New Westminster 10 cents a mile each way extra.

The item was passed, Bunster and Ash only voting against it.

Mr. Humphreys said that the thanks of the hon members of the Mainland were due to the Government. He himself had none to offer and he wished the item had never been put on the estimates.

Dr. Ash said the sum was fixed by the Constitution Act and this was improper. He said the Chairman was hurrying through the items too fast.

Mr. Walkem said he admired the taste of the hon member, who cried hear! hear! on the occasion of its being considered before. On only one point had he known the hon member consistent, viz, raising objections on hair-splitting techicalities against everything introduced by the Government. In favor of not one useful measure had he known the hon member to give his vote but against it. He explained that His Excellency the Lieut Governor saw fit to increase the mileage to Mainland members having been so advised by the Executive Council. It was no motion made by any member of the House.

Hon Mr. McCreight said that the clause read from the Constitution Act referred to the officers of the Government, and the hon member for Comox surely did not mean to say that hon members were officers of the Government.

Mr. Humphreys thought that the remarks by the Hon. Attorney General were perfectly correct, and the position taken by the member for Comox entirely wrong.

Dr. Ash said that notwithstanding the remarks which had been passed, he considered he was right. He said that any of the members taking this pay were ineligible to sit.

Hon. Mr. Robertson said the honorable member was mistaken; if his objection held good, how was it that the House was able to vote $1,000 to Mr. Speaker?

Law Clerk—$300. Passed.

POLICE AND GAOLS.

Constable at Burrard Inlet—$120.

Hon. Mr. Robertson explained that owing to a mistake in the estimates $600 only had been voted for this purpose, and this further amount was to put the constable on an equal footing with the other constables. Passed.

ROADS AND TRAILS.

Trail through Eagle Pass—$5,000.

Hon. Mr. Walkem explained that owing to there being no trail through this pass, a contract to supply the railway surveyors with $35,000 worth of goods had been given to Messrs. Oppenheimer, at Colville, which would have been given here had this trail been made. He also heard that other contracts, amounting to $25,000 or $30,000, were to be given out, and if this sum was voted, there would be a chance of having that money spent here.

Mr. Mara stated that this pass was the only one by which there was access through the Selkirk range from the Okanagan to the Kamloops. Had this trail been made three years ago, it would have paid for itself twice or thrice over by means of the Kamloops and Big Bend trade. Passed

Nanaimo district, roads—$1,250.

Hon. Mr. Walkem explained that this sum was added to make a bridge across the Millstream and the road to Departure Bay; also $160 for Gabriola Island.

Mr. Robson said he felt thankful to the Government even for this small addition to an appropriation still very much below the just wants and claims of the important district he had the honor to represent. He had not been unmindful of the interests of the district, but had continued to press them upon the attention of the Executive outside, instead of on the floor of the House, where the checks imposed by the Constitution rendered any effort in that direction nugatory. In regard to the bridge over Nanaimo river, he learned with extreme regret that there was no hope of the bridge being built this year. The Surveyor General had estimated the cost of the bridge at six thousand dollars. He, himself, estimated it at three; but of course the Government preferred to rely upon the estimate of its own officer. The bridge was a work of the most urgent necessity, as the only means of connecting a large and flourishing settlement—some seventy farms—with Nanaimo, and very great hardship and even danger accrued. It was only the other day that the son of one of these farmers came near losing his life in crossing the river.

Mr. Bunster, while favoring the item, said the bridge would cost $3,000.

Mr Walkem—Will the hon. member cut it off his District and give it to Nanaimo? (loud laughter)

Mr. Bunster—No! No! You have cut my District down too much already.

Mr. Humphreys wanted to know how it was after representations made by himself and colleagues that no sum had been put on the Supplementary Estimates for Lillooet.

Mr. Walkem said he had done all he could in the Executive to have a sum put on the Estimates—but after the money had all been voted away, what could they do?

The item passed.

Dr Ash wished to know why a sum had not been put on the Estimates for the Skeena and Omineca trails, according to promise.

Hon. Mr Walkem—Where and when did I make promises. (Cries of question.)

New Westminster District Roads $1,000. Passed.

REVENUE SERVICES, 1871.

Expenses of Officers on duty, $620.

Hon Mr Robertson explained that these were principally officers in Omineca District.

Prosecution and Interpreters Fees, $1,000 in excess of of the sum on last year's Estimates.

Expenses of Judges and Registrars on Circuit, $135.

Criminal Punishments, $17475.

POLICE AND GAOLS.

Keep of Prisoners, &c., $12,200 00. Passed.

RENT.

Gaol, Nanaimo, $66 66. Passed.

Office, Omineca, $ 60. Passed.

TRANSPORT.

Remittance of Treasure $140. Actual travelling expenses of Officers on duty, $4,050, for Messrs. O'Reilly to Omineca, and Bushby to Yale, who were allowed $6 per day travelling expenses, besides their pay by order o Governor Musgrave.

Travelling expenses, Members of Legislative Council, $969.

These items after a few questions for explanation were passed,

ROADS, STREETS, AND BRIDGES.

Mr. Mara moved these all be voted in one lump.

Dr. Ash wished before this was passed to ask the Chief Commissioner if the $3,410 for Skeena had been spent.

Hon. Mr. Walkem—If the hon. gentleman likes to come into my office at proper hours, he can see the whole of the papers and tenders. Some tenders had been given out, but the work had not been done as required by tender, and had not been paid for. Instead of allowing the Government to be robbed and swindled as the hon member seemed to imagine, he had prevented it. If he had allowed the work to be paid for, the hon. gentleman would have said he was not fit for his position

Dr. Ash wished the words of the Hon. Chief Commissioner, speaking of certain outsiders as robbers and swindlers, to be taken down.

Disallowed, as business had been transacted since the words were uttered.

After certain questions the whole under this head were passed.

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

After explanations of each item, were passed.

INTEREST

On temporary loans, $405.

DEPOSITS.

Intestate and other, $2088 66.

These items passed.

The Committee rose and reported the Estimates complete and the House adjourned until 2 p.m. to day.

DEPARTURE OF THE ENTERPRISE. — A large concourse assembled on the Hudson Bay wharf yesterday morning to witness the departure of the steamer Enterprise having on board Mr Trutch's surveying party, numbering between 50 and 60. Amongst them were Messrs Trutch, Dewdney, Hurd, Pindar, Thain Dorman, Galley, H. Richardson, Leigh, and *Green*. There were also several passengers bound for different parts of the Province; among them we noticed Mrs. Dewdney, T. Bishop, J. Booth, and others. A large quantity of freight was shipped, part of which consisted of a large waggon and agricultural implements for Mr Lawrence, the repaired shaft of the steamer Onward, two horses and between 20 and 30 head of stock for Mr. J. Booth—a young farmer on the banks of the Fraser. Owing to the large amount of freight to be shipped the steamer did not leave till 10 o'clock.

THEATRE LAST EVENING.—The Teutonic and Ethiopian Burlesque Troupe repeated their eccentricities last evening before a delighted audience. The songs were particularly fine and the acting of Misses Armstrong and Fisk and Messrs Wallace, Larkin, Nickerson, Parker and others was greatly applauded. We can assure our readers that the performance is entirely unobjectionable and that nothing is said or done that would bring a blush to the face of the most refined. Go and hear Nickerson's great political speech this evening.

OBSCENITY.—A hackman, in the presence of ladies, children and a crowd of men and boys used profane and obscene language for a long time yesterday afternoon at the corner of Yates and Government streets. Unfortunately, before a policeman who had been sent for could reach the spot the fellow drove off. It was an exhibition not often allowed to pass unchecked in an English city.

DRAPED IN MOURNING.—Upon the receipt of the intelligence of the death of Professor Morse, yesterday, Mr Jungerman, Manager of the Victoria Office, clothed the instruments in the sable drapery of mourning as a mark of respect to the memory of the great man who has fallen.

We draw the attention of our readers to a new kind of sweetmeat paepared by Mr. A. W. Piper called "Golden Cream Candy." The old saw says "Taste and try before you buy," but we advise all to buy at once, for we are sure they will like it.

City Council.

WEDNESDAY, April 3d, 1872.

The Mayor took the Chair at 7½ p.m.

Communication from J. P. Davies & Co notifying the Council that the Cattle Yard would not be at the disposal of the Corporation after the end of June.

Accounts from T. Cragie, $5, H. O. Tiedeman, $10; H. F. Heisterman, $30; Thos: Story, $31; T. N. Hibben, $17 38; were referred to Finance Committee.

The Poundkeeper's report for *March* was read and accepted.

Coun. Gowen said the poundkeeper was badly in want of assistance in impounding animals. He was a hardworking officer and frequently paid money out of his own pocket for an assistant. Coun Gowen would give notice of a motion to increase the salary from $50 to $60 per month.

The Com. on James Bay drain was granted further time.

The Mayor presented the bonds of the Rate Collector, Clerk and Poundkeeper.

The Clerk produced a statement of accounts from Nov. 7th, 1870, to Feb. 27th, 1872, showing receipts from all sources to be $15,535 41, and the expenditures $15,532 57; leaving a balance of $2 84 on hand. The liabilities of the Corporation are $1363 12. The assets of the Corporation are upwards of $4000.

Coun. Robinson said that the exhibit was satisfactory, and that as soon as a statement of assets had been furnished the statement would be published.

The Clerk said all necessary information would be ready by next meeting of the Council.

Coun. Gowen moved for tenders to repair the cistern at the corner of Government and Yates streets. Carried.

Coun. Robinson again called attention to the dangerous state of a sidewalk at the top of Fort street, and moved that it be repaired by the Corporation. Carried.

THE MISSES. MILLS.—A forth petition from these ladies was handed to the Assembly yesterday. The True-Blue member for Victoria District, with accustomed gallantry, moved that it be read; but upon the Speaker requesting the hon gentleman to endorse it he declined, and the laugh went against him. The petition is said to abound in absurd charges against high officials.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—As a sign of the progress the Mainland is making in agricultural pursuits it may be mentioned that the Enterprise yesterday carried forward a number of reaping, sowing and thrashing machines and many plows. They are mostly destined for Yale and New Westminster District.

RESIGNED.—The Provincial Sec'ty yesterday informed the House that Mr Franklin in consequence of a larger sum not having been put on the Supplementary Estimates for him as assistant printer, had sent in his resignation. Mr Partridge, we believe, has taken his place as Messenger to the Assembly.

DEATH OF PROFESSOR MORSE. — Professor Morse, the great electrician and inventor of the telegraph, died on Tuesday in New York City. He had attained to great age, and is said to have possessed more "decorations" than any man who ever lived.

APRIL.—Mr. F. S. Bushell has laid on our table a valse entitled "April." It seems to be simple but charming in its simplicity, reminding one of the soft zephyrs so frequent in the month after which it is named.

POLICE COURT. — At this institution but little was done yesterday. An Indian whose wife was stolen by a white man broke the windows of the room in which the pair were. He was discharged with a caution.

THE Cricket Match is postponed until Saturday week, owing to the expected arrival of the mail steamer.

THE Grappler, for the Hastings Mills, towing the Auguste, sailed at 10 yesterday morning.

EXTRA MILEAGE. — In the Supplementary is the sum of $750 for extra mileage to members from remote Districts.

EMPTY. — The town is gradually becoming emptied of miners.

THE last Assembly of the season took place last evening, and was slimly attended.

THE Prince Alfred has 70 passengers and 250 tons of freight.

SAANICH ROAD.—Work upon this road will be commenced immediately.

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SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The Connecticut election created but little excitement in this city. Dispatches say that the probable majority of Jewell is between two and three hundred over both opponents. The vote is 5,000 less than last year. The reformers rate far below their reputed strength.

The World says that the liberal republicans did not give much support to Dems; they seemed unwilling to part with the Grant wing until after the Cincinnati convention.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—At a cabinet meeting to day, all the members were present. The letter of Lord Granville in reply to Secretary Fish was read, occupying almost the entire session. Particulars of little amount can be ascertained, as cabinet members decline to converse on the subject. It is known, however, from reliable sources, that the letter of Granville is in character of argument against the claims of the United States for indirect damages; and that it is firm yet friendly in its expression. The hope is expressed that both nations will come to an understanding which will eventually carry out the Treaty of Washington according to what the British Government believes to be its true intent and meaning. The Secretary of State will not reply to Granville for some time, as time is required for the due consideration of the points and arguments of this diplomatic letter.

The Secretary of the Treasury decided that the income tax on the salary of the President of the United States and Judges of the Supreme Court is unconstitutional, and that the same be refunded and not hereafter imposed.

Generals Sheridan and Auger have been directed by order of the War Department, to use extraordinary efforts to capture and turn over to the civil authorities for trial, the persons who made a raid on Texas from Mexico.

Admiral Fanshaw, of the British navy, was presented to the President to day.

NEW YORK March 2.—Professor Morse died this evening at 7.30.

It is reported that Miss Kellogg calls on the 13th inst. for London, to fill an operatic engagement with Mahelsern.

Fred Heggie, of 203 East Houston street, has been arrested on suspicion of having poisoned a man named Siegriefied, who died in his house thirty years ago. The body has been exhumed, and an investigation will soon be held. Siegrieffed's friends say his father owned some property which by a legal will went to Heggie.

Jack Holdecy, known as a member of the swamp gang, being this morning refused a drink of liquor at a store on William street, threatened the barkeeper, who shot Holdecy, killing him instantly.

A vague rumor says General Dix has resigned the Presidency of the Erie railroad.

WILWAUKIE, April 2.—At 12:30 to day, a fire broke out in Dyons' wholesale and retail harness shop; that building and Strickland's bookstore were consumed. The fire is spreading both ways; the loss will be heavy.

Europe.

MANCHESTER, April 2.—A large deputation of Conservatives marched in procession to-day to Pomera garden, where they presented an address to Disraeli, expressing a hope that he will soon come into power again. In spite of a heavy snow storm, the attendance at the presentation was immense. Diraeli was repeatedly cheered, many houses in the vicinity were dressed with flags.

PARIS, April 2.—The trial for libel case, General Trochu against Figaro, is ended. The defendants were acquitted on the charge of libel, but were found guilty of insulting a summons from Government, and were sentenced to one month's imprisonment and a fine of 3,000 francs.

In the course of his address yesterday before the Assembly, Thiers defined the attitude of France towards the Spanish crown. He declared that it was to the interest of France to keep Amadeus on the throne, because his overthrow would lead to a revolution. When the inhabitants have to choose between a French or German nationality, it is said nearly all determined to adhere to the French nationality.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Col. Whipple arrived from Lone Pine last night, and proceeded to Vallejo to visit his family. He will call on the Mayor to-day, to ask him to make an appeal to the citizens in behalf of sufferers by the late earthquake.

A woman known as Mrs. Barklewarde, living at No. 15 Sutter street, was shot in the head and side by a man named Williamson, last night. She was found on the floor weltering in blood, the man made his escape. He is said to be a rejected lover.

The citizens of Seventh Ward held a meeting last night and gave a concert on devils fiddles, tin cans and horns, and burned the effigies of Senator Sargent and others connected with the Goat Island Scheme, and denounced them as enemies to the State.

The steamer Prince Alfred, for Victoria, with the following passengers:—D. N. Bradstreet, H. L. Chapman, W. Beherest, B. Blumauer, Mr. Parsons, Miss M. Bourgill, Mrs. J. Kemp, Mrs. G. Spencer, Mrs. R. B. McMicking, Mrs. Dr. Allan, R. S. Dow, S. L. Parks, Mr. Himsen and wife, Mr. Clearhue, John Fraser, C. W. Reed, C. King, W. Boyd, S. King, Isaac Harker, W. Clendenin, R. King, S. Vestal, Mr. Alsop, and 44 passengers in the steerage.

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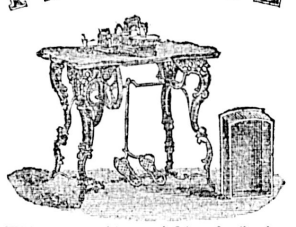

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Notices

Colonial Secretary's Office,
March 19th, 1872.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR directs the publication, for general information, of the following dispatch and enclosures from the Secretary of State for the Province.

By Command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ottawa, January 16th, 1872.

SIR—I have the honor to enclose, for the information of your Government, two copies of a Circular Dispatch addressed to His Excellency the Governor General, by the Secretary of State for the colonies, with a similar number of copies of the Dispatch and Circular therein referred to.

May I request that you will take such measures as you may think advisable to secure the desired interchange of communication between the several Commercial and Agricultural Societies in the Province of British Columbia and the Government of India.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) JOSEPH HOWE,
Secretary of State for the Provinces.

The Hon. J W. Trutch,
Lieut-Governor, Victoria, British Columbia.

CIRCULAR.

Downing Street, 10th Nov., 1871.

SIR—I have received from the Duke of Argyll a copy of a dispatch from the Governor General of India in Council, and a copy of a Circular which His Grace, in pursuance of a request contained in that Dispatch, has addressed to the Chambers of Commerce and other authorized institutions of that nature in the United Kingdom, inviting direct correspondence with the Government of India on matters connected with Agriculture, Commerce Improved Machinery, and the like.

I transmit to you printed copies of these documents and have to request you to give them such publicity as will be most likely to secure the desired interchange of communications between the several Commercial and Agricultural Societies and Institutions in the Colony under your Government and the Government of India.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) KIMBERLEY.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

(AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE)

The Governor General of India in Council to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, Simla, August 24th, 1871, No. 7.

EXTRACT.

Our attention has been called to importance of obtaining for the use of the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, and for general information, early copies of all papers (reports, circulars and the like) issued by the Liverpool and other important Chambers of Commerce, and by leading English firms, relating to staples such as cotton, jute, rice, indigo, silk and others, which form important articles of commerce between India and Great Britain.

2. We shall feel much obliged if, to prevent the delay inseperable from the passage of such papers through the several official channels, Your Grace could arrange for their prompt transmission by the publishers direct to the address of our Secretary in the Department of Revenue Agriculture and Commerce, Calcutta.

3. We should be happy to reciprocate by furnishing any information in our power, by supplying copies of such printed papers as might be desired in regard to the crops and the position of our trade.

4. It is specially a matter of importance to us to obtain the earliest possible information as to the state and prospects of the American cotton crop. Agricultural conditions in many parts of the United States are very similar to those that obtain throughout the vast tracts of India. Many improvements in cultivation and very many of the mechanical contrivances for facilitating agricultural operations that have been beneficial and remunerative in America, would prove, we believe, scarcely less applicable to many parts of this country. We would, therefore, request the favor of Your Grace's arranging, if possible, for the direct transmission to us of all periodical reports on the cotton crop, the progress of agriculture generally, and the development of all agricultural appliances, issued by the American Bureau of Agriculture, whom we would in turn supply with any papers they might indicate relating to our cotton crop and the progress of agriculture here.

5. Through the public newspapers and through private channels, we often hear of American inventions which primâ facie, appear likely to be useful here, and in regard to which we desire further information. There are also many matters of detail connected with the trade and agriculture of America, the colonies and other countries, in regard to which more precise information than we can at present obtain is often very desirable and at times is urgently required.

To the President of the———— 1871.

SIR—I am directed by His Grace the Secretary of State for India to transmit to you the accompanying extract of a dispatch which has recently been received from His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, requesting that His Grace will assist him in establishing direct communication between the Government of India and the several Commercial and Agricultural Societies and Institutions in the United Kingdom, on subjects connected with agriculture and commerce.

The Duke of Argyll has assented to this request of the Governor-General, and I am to request you to move the to assist this Grace in complying with the wish of His Lordship in Council, by forwarding direct to the Government of India such papers and information as may be published by the Association over which you preside, so soon as they are issued, and also by directing the attention of the Government of India to such points as you may deem it useful for them to be acquainted with.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, Calcutta.

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NOTICE.

FOR THE BETTER INFORMATION of the Public generally, Notice is hereby given, that all of the Crown Lands lying to the South and West of James Bay have heretofore been and continue still to be reserved by the Government of British Columbia, and that the said Lands are therefore not open to pre-emption by any person.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands & Works Office,
Victoria, B C, 9th Feb, 1872. fe11

Licences Ordinance 1867

It is hereby notified for general information that Licenses under the above Ordinance for the current half-year ending June 30th, 1872, are due and payable at the Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Bastion Street Victoria.

No further intimation will be given to those liable to pay Licenses under the above act,

By Order, H R GOOD,

fe1 Clerk to Stipendiary Magistrate

Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to

JOSEPH WEBB of Suburban Lot No 7, Newcastle Town, said to contain 3.39 acres

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the mean time against the issue thereof.

H B W AIKMAN,
Registrar General.

Land Registry, Feb 2nd, 1872. fe4 3m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXisting between Louis Oppenheim and Samuel Oppenheim in the business at Fort Yale, B.C., known as the firm of L & S Oppenheim, is dissolved by mutual consent.

The debts for or against the partnership will be paid and received by Louis Oppenheim.

(Signed) LOUIS OPPENHEIM
SAMUEL OPPENHEIM.

WITNESS—Daniel McQuarrie.

Fort Yale, B C., March 1, 1872. mh23 1md&w

Card of Thanks to Dr Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong, which charge, I may also say, was reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.

Victoria, Aug 28th, 1871. fe17

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